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SUBJECT: AFRICAN LIBERATION SUPPORT COMMITTEE AIDS LIBERATION
MOVEMENTS

1. GENE LOCKE, OWUSU SADAUKAI, AND BRENDA PARIS, CHAIRMAN, FORMER CHAIRMAN, AND SECRETARY RESPECTIVELY OF US-BASED AFRICAN LIBERATION SUPPORT COMMITTEE (ALSC) ARRIVED IN TANZANIA AUGUST 24 AS GUESTS OF TANGANYIKA AFRICAN NATIONAL UNION (TANU). FOLLOWING ARRIVAL, LOCKE EXPLAINED THAT DELEGATION BROUGHT ABOUT 43,000 DOLLARS TO BE GIVEN TO FRELIMO, ZANU, ZAPU, PAIGC, AND UNITA, ANGOLAN LIBERATION GROUP NOT RECOGNIZED BY OAU. TANZANIAN PRESS REPORTED LATER THAT LOCKE PRESENTED CHECK FOR 8,700 DOLLARS TO FRELIMO VICE PRESIDENT MARCELINO DOS SANTOS.

2. DELEGATION MET AUGUST 27 WITH TANZANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER MALECELA WHO THANKED MEMBERS ON BEHALF OF OAU AND TANZANIAN GOVERNMENT FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO LIBERATION MOVEMENTS.

3. ACCORDING TO PRESS ACCOUNTS, GROUP WILL DEPART SEPTEMBER 1

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FOR ZAMBIA WHERE IT WILL HHOLD TALKS WITH ZAPU AND ZANU OFFICIALS

BEFORE GOING TO GUINEA WHERE IT WILL HOLD DISCUSSIONS WITH PAIGC.

4. COMMENT: PRESUMABLY DONATIONS TO ZANU, ZAPU, AND PAIGC WILL TAKE PLACE IN LUSAKA AND CONAKRY RESPECTIVELY. UNITA, WHICH HAS NO REPRESENTATION IN DAR ES SALAAM, MAY HAVE BEEN DROPPED SUBSEQUENTLY FROM LIST OF ORGANIZATIONS RECEIVING LARGESSES AT SUGGESTION OF GOT. TAKING CUE FROM ALSC VISITORS, TANU-OWNED, SWAHILI DAILY, UHURU, EDITORIALIZED AUGUST 29: "BECAUSE THEY HAVE POWER, IT IS TOTALLY POSSIBLE (FOR BLACK AMERICANS) TO ASSIST LIBERATION WARS IN TWO MAJOR WAYS. FIRST, BY PROVIDING VARIOUS KINDS OF ASSISTANCE DIRECTLY TO THE ORGANIZATIONS WHICH ARE FIGHTING THE COLONIALISTS AND RACISTS, AND SIMILARLY BY INCREASING THEIR STRUGGLE FOR EQUAL RIGHTS IN AMERICA AND ELSEWHERE."

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